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Doug Rosenthal:

This statement responds to your inquiry regarding compliance of Spartech R85/R21 ABS WITH WEATHERABLE CAP SHEET products with EU Directive 2002/95/EC on "The Restrictions of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment". This Directive states that *"Member States shall ensure that from 1 July 2006 new electrical and electronic equipment put on the market does not contain lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) or polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE)"*.

We do not intentionally use any of the following substances regulated by the EU Directive 2002/95/EC on the "restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment":

- lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium
- polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) and polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE)

in the manufacture of the above-mentioned plastic materials. We rely (without further investigation) on certifications from our suppliers that the raw materials we purchase for the manufacture of the above-mentioned plastic materials do not contain any of these regulated substances.

Going forward, purchase orders that need to comply with these restrictions should be indicated by noting, "Must comply with RoHS Restrictions," or similar language, to trigger the production and formulation controls in place in our plants, ensuring verifiable compliance with your requirements.

Best regards,

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Customer Service